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Honorable Katharine S. Hayden  
United States District Judge  
U.S. District Court, District of New Jersey  
Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Building & U.S. Courthouse  
50 Walnut Street  
Newark, NJ 07101

Re: U.S. v. Zakari Ibrahim; Cr. No. 07-583

Dear Judge Hayden:

I represent Zakari Ibrahim as court appointed CJA counsel, in the above-captioned criminal action. A plea agreement in this matter was reached on July 16, 2007, and Mr. Ibrahim was sentenced on October 26, 2007. I currently represent Mr. Ibrahim pro bono in a collateral immigration proceeding, in which his plea allocution before Your Honor is a principal matter in issue.

Accordingly, I respectfully request a transcript from Mr. Ibrahim's plea hearing from the above-captioned matter, dated July 16, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Robert W. Ray'.

Robert W. Ray

*Request denied; counsel is  
representing Mr. Ibrahim  
outside his CJA appointment.*

*K Hayden USDJ  
1/26/09*